

DECLARATION

As a below named inventor, I declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name; I believe I am an original, first and joint inventor of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled: **MULTIPLE DATA RATE INTERFACE ARCHITECTURE** the specification of which is attached hereto.

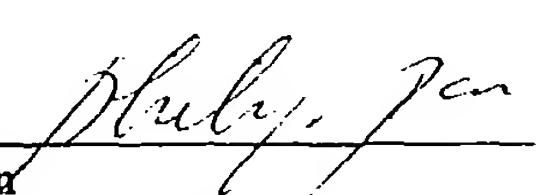
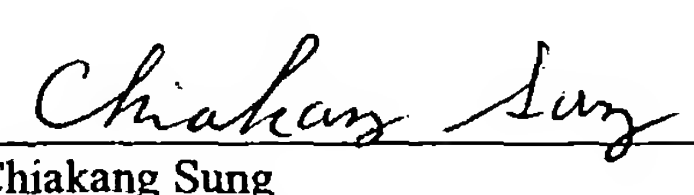
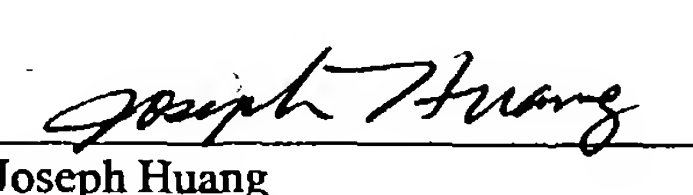
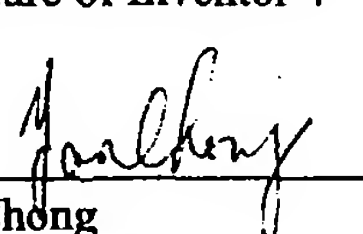
I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above. I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, Section 1.56.

I hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code § 119(e) of the United States provisional application listed below:

Application No.	Filing Date
60/315,879	August 29, 2001

Full Name of Inventor 1:	Last Name: PAN	First Name: PHILIP	Middle Name or Initial:	
Residence & Citizenship:	City: Fremont	State/Foreign Country: California	Country of Citizenship: United States	
Post Office Address:	Post Office Address: 45053 Gallegos Ave.	City: Fremont	State/Country: California	Postal Code: 94539
Full Name of Inventor 2:	Last Name: SUNG	First Name: CHIAKANG	Middle Name or Initial:	
Residence & Citizenship:	City: Milpitas	State/Foreign Country: California	Country of Citizenship: United States	
Post Office Address:	Post Office Address: 2005 Skyline Dr.	City: Milpitas	State/Country: California	Postal Code: 95035
Full Name of Inventor 3:	Last Name: HUANG	First Name: JOSEPH	Middle Name or Initial:	
Residence & Citizenship:	City: San Jose	State/Foreign Country: California	Country of Citizenship: United States	
Post Office Address:	Post Office Address: 1231 Briarleaf Circle	City: San Jose	State/Country: California	Postal Code: 95131
Full Name of Inventor 4:	Last Name: CHONG	First Name: YAN	Middle Name or Initial:	
Residence & Citizenship:	City: Mountain View	State/Foreign Country: California	Country of Citizenship: United States	
Post Office Address:	Post Office Address: 870 East El Camino Real, Apt. 120	City: Mountain View	State/Country: California	Postal Code: 94040
Full Name of Inventor 5:	Last Name: WANG	First Name: BONNIE	Middle Name or Initial: I.	
Residence & Citizenship:	City: Cupertino	State/Foreign Country: California	Country of Citizenship: United States	
Post Office Address:	Post Office Address: 10731 Prune Tree Lane	City: Cupertino	State/Country: California	Postal Code: 95014

I further declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing thereon.

Signature of Inventor 1  Philip Pan	Signature of Inventor 2  Chiakang Sung	Signature of Inventor 3  Joseph Huang
Date 12/19/2001	Date 12-18-01	Date 12/18/01
Signature of Inventor 4  Yan Chong	Signature of Inventor 5 Bonnie Z. Wang Bonnie I. Wang	
Date 12/19/2001	Date 12/18/01	